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AN ANARCHIST WOULD MURDER CHIEF SHIPPY

Is Killed By The Chief After He Had Wounded
His Son And Shot The Coachman
Seriously.

MAYOR BUSSE ALSO THREATENED

Police Fail To Definitely Identify The Dead Man Beyond
The Fact He Is One Of A Gang Of Anarchists
On The West Side Drawn By Lot To
Kill Shippy.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Chicago, March 2.—George M. Shippy, chief of police of Chicago, today shot and killed an unknown anarchist, who had invaded his home, shot the chief, seriously wounded his son Harry and the family coachman, James Foley.
The man, evidently a Slav or Italian, forced an entrance into the Shippy home. Chief Shippy was standing in the hall, his son Harry shot in one lung and is in a critical condition, and Foley, the coachman, who was severely wounded, will recover. The announcement of the details of the affair have caused excitement all over the city.
By an Anarchist
It is believed the attack on the chief was inspired by the recent activity of the police following the killing of Reverend Leo Holmbeck, the Roman Catholic priest in Denver, by an anarchist who killed him while he was administering the holy sacrament.
Busse Attacked
The fact that Mayor Busse was also

NARROW ESCAPE IN BOBBING ACCIDENT

Frank Hall Escapes a Broken Nose
by Small Margin—Others
Bruised.
As a result of an accident while adding down Millmore's hill yesterday Frank Hall is nursing a very sore nose and George Brummond a badly skinned face, while several other boys were more or less injured. Arthur Albrecht, Frank Hall, Walter Meyer, Roy Burger, Ernest Rupnow, and George Brummond were adding down Millmore's hill yesterday afternoon on a bobbed. A plank, nailed across part of the road to keep teams from driving over the new bridge at the top of the hill, the boys were sliding under this, but the last time they went under Frank Hall raised his head too quickly and was struck across the face by the plank, so that he was unconscious for about three quarters of an hour. The bob was overturned and George Brummond had his face badly skinned on the ice, while the others were bruised up. It is a miracle that Hall did not have his nose broken.

AUTOMOBILE RACES ON FLORIDA BEACH

Automobile Club of America Holds
International Race Meet
in South.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Daytona, Fla., March 2.—Over the magnificent Ormond-Daytona beach course, several scenes of the most prominent and during auto drivers in the world will compete in races during the coming six days. The occasion is the annual international race meet held here under the auspices of the Automobile Club of America, France, Italy, Great Britain and the United States are to be represented in the big events, the chief of which will be the international long-distance speed championship at 288 miles.
The other events will be as follows: Invitation race for gentlemen amateur drivers, 128 miles, cars to be eligible must have been owned by the entrant prior to the time of the public announcement of the race.
Minneapolis international world championship trophy, 100 miles. This cup must be won twice to become the permanent property of the contestant. The trophy is now held by S. F. Page of London.
Two miles, flying start, for the Sir Thomas Downer cup; not more than four cars to run in a heat, the first two cars in each heat to compete in the final. Fred Marriott of Newton, Mass., the present holder.
Two miles, flying start, for the two-mile-amateur trophy, to be run in the form of time trials. To win, victory must equal or exceed an average speed of 120 miles an hour.
Road speed trials for mile and kilometer.
All the events are to be run under the American Automobile association's highest power, with a dozen of the highest speed cars in the world entered and the course in superb condition there is every prospect that some speed records will go by the board before the end of the week.

TWO PROMINENT MEN DIE VERY SUDDENLY

James Oliver and Thomas B. Wanamaker Pass Away This Morning
in Indiana and Liverpool.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
South Bend, Ind., March 2.—James Oliver, the millionaire plow manufacturer, died this morning.
Thomas B. Wanamaker, a son of former Postmaster General Wanamaker, died suddenly at his hotel today. Wanamaker has been traveling in Egypt in search of health.
MILWAUKEE YOUTH
SHOT HIS SISTER
Boy Who Didn't Know It Was Loaded
Accidentally Wounds His
Little Sister.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Milwaukee, Wis., March 2.—Harold Lebel, aged eleven, accidentally shot his sister Catherine, aged fourteen years, at seven-twenty o'clock this morning with a twenty-two-caliber rifle with which he was playing in the kitchen at his home, 319 Hanover street. The bullet struck a glancing blow and the injury proved merely a flesh wound. The boy did not know the gun was loaded.

SHANGHAI JUDGE IS VINDICATED TODAY

President Roosevelt and Secretary
Root Say Judge Willey Do
Deserve Credit.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., March 2.—Judge Leobona H. Willey, who was sent to Shanghai for the express purpose of overseeing the lax administration of justice in the American quarter and against whom charges have been filed in the house as a basis for impeachment proceedings, is vindicated by President Roosevelt and Secretary Root in correspondence which was made public today. Both officials say that Willey is entitled to commendation and high credit for his conduct in office, and that the charges brought against him should be dismissed.

BLAZE STARTED IN NICKELODEON

After Half Past Three This Afternoon
—Only the Operators in the
Place at the Time.
Shortly after half past three o'clock this afternoon a serious fire was started in the Corners Nickelodeon on West Milwaukee street. The origin of the fire was in the booth where the moving picture machine was located. There was no audience in the place at the time. The flames had a good start when the department was summoned. The ignition of a film of the place was badly scorched the fire was quickly put out and the damage was not as large as anticipated.



TO BE TRIED FOR MURDER OF WIFE

Clarence Haines of Ohio To Be Tried
for Killing His Pretty
Young Wife.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington Court House, Ohio, March 2.—The case of Clarence Haines, charged with the murder of his pretty young wife last August, was called for trial here today. Prior to the crime the people had not been living together for some time. Mrs. Haines and their little daughter having resided at Columbus. The day before the tragedy they moved back to this city. Haines called at the house to take their little daughter to see a circus parade. Becoming involved in a dispute with his wife, Haines drew a revolver and fired the fatal shot. He then made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide. It is understood that temporary insanity will be the grounds of defense.

EASTERN COLLEGES DEBATE TONIGHT

Triangular Debating League of New
England Colleges Has
Annual Debate.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Providence, R. I., March 2.—Whether or not the larger New England cities should have the commission form of government is to be settled tonight by the high-browed and ready-tongued debaters of three of New England's leading colleges. The occasion is the annual contest of the Triangular Debating League, comprising Brown, Williams and Dartmouth. Each college has two teams and the debates are to be held simultaneously in Williamstown, Hanover and Providence.

YANKEES LEAVE FOR SPRING PRACTICE

Thirty Players of New York American
Leave for Hot Springs
Today.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, March 2.—About thirty players of the New York club of the American league are booked to leave the metropolis today for Hot Springs, where several days will be spent in taking the baths. From that Springs the players will go to the regular training camp at Atlanta, where they are to remain until April 4.
During the trip the Yankees are scheduled to engage in exhibition games at Atlanta, Chattanooga, Athens, Richmond, Roanoke, Lynchburg, Baltimore, Princeton, Trenton and Newark.

HARRIMAN CONTROLS ENTIRE SITUATION

Judge Bait This Morning Denies Petition
for Injunction Restraining
Voting of Stock.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Chicago, March 2.—Judge Ball this morning denied the petition of H. W. Leggett for an injunction restraining the voting of 283,231 shares of stock held by the Union Pacific Railroad Securities company at the annual meeting of the Illinois Central which opened at noon today.
Owing to the inability of the proxy committee to complete its report the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central was adjourned after a short session until two tomorrow.

BOWLING CONGRESS ON AT ROCHESTER

National Bowling Association Opens
Its Annual Tournament
Today.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Rochester, N. Y., March 2.—Many bowlers are in Rochester for the annual meeting and tournament of the National Bowling association, which opened today and will continue for two weeks. Among the cities represented in the tournament are Philadelphia, Buffalo, Brooklyn, Akron, Cincinnati, Toronto, Reading, Jersey City, Newark, Elmira, Paterson, New Haven, Cleveland, Youngstown, Detroit, Baltimore and Lewistown, Pa.

LONE STAR STATE HAS A BIRTHDAY

Texas Celebrates the Seventy-second
Anniversary of Its
Independence.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Austin, Texas, March 2.—Today was the seventy-second anniversary of the signing of the Texas Declaration of Independence, which was first read under a grove of spreading live oak trees at the village of Columbia, on the Brazos river, March 2, 1836. The anniversary was observed throughout the state today by the closing of banks and public offices, and by memorial exercises of the patriotic societies and in the public schools.
The usual elaborate program of exercises was carried out at the University of Texas. The student body, headed by the college band and with a huge cannon in tow, marched from the state capital grounds to the university campus, where a full salute was fired. Exercises in the college auditorium followed, with addresses by Clarence Owsley of Fort Worth, Dr. L. M. Keadley of the university and others.

CRIMINAL SUITS ON DOCKET NON SUITED

State's Attorney Files His Withdrawal
of Last Case Against John A.
Cook This Morning.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Chicago, March 2.—The last case remaining on the criminal docket against John A. Cook, the former clerk of the circuit court, now serving a term in the state penitentiary for malfeasance in office, was nonsuited by the state's attorney today.

NO MORE TIME GIVEN FOR THE RAILROADS

To Comply with the Nine-Hour Tele-
graph Law by the National
Commission.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., March 2.—The Interstate Commerce commission decided today by a unanimous vote to deny all petitions for extensions of time within which to comply with the nine-hour law. The reasons are to be stated in a report which will be announced in a few days.
Unpleasant Experience: While driving in a car to J. B. Humphrey's, near Afton, Saturday evening, a party of high school boys and girls upset near the Afton bridge. The car slipped on the icy roads into a ditch and was overturned. The top was crushed in and several of the inside sustained severe bruises as well as losing their picnic supper which they had with them.

PERJURY CASE IS UP IN NEW YORK

Echo of Famous Patrick Case Is
Heard in the Trial of Short
and Meyers.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, March 2.—An echo of the famous Patrick case was heard in the supreme court today, when the case of David L. Short and Morris Meyers, charged with perjury and forgery, was called for trial. Short is charged with having drawn up and attested a fraudulent will disposing of the property of millionaire William Marsh Rice of Texas, for whose alleged murder Albert T. Patrick is now serving a life term in Sing Sing. Meyers was a law clerk in Patrick's office, who witnessed the signature purported to be that of Rice on the will. The charges have been pending for seven years, and now for the first time there is a prospect that the case will be finally disposed of.

LEADING CLOTHIERS IN BIG CONVENTION

Annual Convention of the National
Association Begins in
New York.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, March 2.—Leading clothiers of nearly all the large cities of the United States began the annual convention of their national association at the Hotel Astor today. Besides the election of officers, various matters of interest to the trade will be considered. Tonight the visitors are to be entertained by the local clothiers at a banquet at Delmonico's.

GRANITE CUTTERS WENT ON A STRIKE

Five Thousand Workers Out of Work
Owing to Failure to Agree
on Wage Scale.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Boston, Mass., March 2.—More than 5,000 granite-cutters, quarrymen and others employed in the granite industry were affected by the suspension of work today due to the failure by the unions and manufacturers to agree on a wage scale.

WIRELESS MESSAGE TELLS OF WRECK

Steamer Goes Ashore on Long Island
in a Dense Fog—Passengers
Not in Danger.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, March 2.—The New York & Porto Rico Steamship company received a wireless message today announcing that its passenger steamer Conna was ashore in a dense fog on Long Island, twenty miles east of Sandy Hook. The wind was light and passengers in no immediate danger. Boats have been sent to the ship to relieve it.
John E. Inman Re-Invests: After a tour of the Pacific coast in search of a promising investment, John E. Inman, who was formerly engaged in the tea business here, has returned to Rock county and purchased a 60-acre farm near Mt. Zion for \$2,700. The buildings are modern and the place is one of the finest of its size in this region. Last fall Mr. Inman sold his 60-acre farm in the town of Bradford for \$10,000.

VETERAN OF THE SENATE OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY

Senator William Boyd Allison Of Iowa, Enters
Upon Eightieth Year Today.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., March 2.—Senator William Boyd Allison of Iowa entered upon his eightieth year today, and after some one recalled that fact he received a continuous stream of hearty congratulations from members of both branches of Congress. Senator Allison has not only attained the honor of having served in the United States senate longer than any other man in the history of the nation, but he has the distinction of being the oldest member of that body with one exception. The exception is Senator Whyte of Maryland, who is now in his eighty-fourth year. A year ago Senator Allison was fourth on the list of senators in point of age, but the passing of Senators Morgan and Tamm of Alabama put the Iowa senator up to second place.
Senator Allison is closely pressed for the honor of second place by Senator Cullum of Illinois, who will be seventy-nine years old next November. Senator Cullum still has five years of his present term to serve, which will make him eighty-four years old on his retirement in 1913. Senator Teller of Colorado ranks next in age, being seventy-eight years; Senator Proctor, of Vermont, ranks fifth in age, seventy-seven; Senator Platt, of New York, sixth, seventy-five years; and Senator Dewey, of New York, seventy-four years.
If Senator Allison outlives his present term, which will end just one year from now, he will have served forty-four years in Congress—eight years in the House and thirty-six in the senate. This will rival the historic record of Senator Morrill of Vermont, but the latter's forty-four years were continuous, which Senator Allison can hardly hope to equal, for an inter-

FELL ON SIDEWALK AND BROKE ANKLE

Mrs. Carl Maveus Sustains Injury—
Mrs. Martin Dies Suddenly
in Chicago.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Brooklyn, Wis., March 2.—While walking on the slippery sidewalk near her home today, Mrs. Carl Maveus slipped and fell, breaking her ankle. The pain and the shock have made her quite ill.
Mrs. Mary Martin died in Chicago Saturday and the remains will be brought here today. The funeral will be held tomorrow. Mrs. Martin's death was very sudden and the news of her demise was a severe blow to her many friends.

NEW STEAMER LINE TO BRITISH GUIANA

To Be Conducted by the Royal Dutch
East Indian Mail Line—
First Boat Today.
New York, March 2.—The departure of the steamer Surinam from New York today marks the establishment of a new regular steamship service between this port and Trinidad and Paramaribo. The service, which is to be conducted by the Royal Dutch East Indian Mail line, will enter into direct competition with the service of the Quebec Steamship company and the Trinidad line.



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SPRUNG RUSE ON STATE EXPERTS

CITY OFFICERS SENT HEAD OF
HEALTHY DOG TO MADISON.
"RABID" IS PROMPT REPLY
Of C. A. Fuller, Assistant to H. L. Russell—All Communication with
Janesville Now Cut Off.
For some time past Health Commissioner W. D. Merrill and City Marshal Appleby have been coming in from the state hygienic laboratory at Madison. It seemed to them that too much was being based on the clinical diagnosis at this end of the line. Hydrophobia seemed to be the answer to every case submitted. So they decided on a wicked and perhaps unfeeling trick test. A docile, mild-tempered, perfectly healthy cocker spaniel which had been running about unmolested, minding its own business and generally following a team, was executed and the head forwarded to Madison with a statement that the canine had bitten a cow, numerous other dogs, and two children, and that a report was wanted at once. Two other heads, which were represented as belonging to animals bitten by No. 1, were also sent to the capital on Feb. 20. An immediate report was urgently requested. It came on the 22d and was as follows:
Wm. State Hygienic Laboratory,
Feb. 21, 1908.
Dr. W. D. Merrill,
Janesville, Wis.
Dear Sir: Three dogs' heads received this noon. Dog No. 1 was rabid. Kindly give full history of these cases—whether dogs were killed or died. All dogs in Janesville should be quarantined for three months. Shall take the matter up with Dr. Harner (head of the state board of health) immediately. Kindly see that we get the copy bitten by Dog No. 1.
Very truly
C. A. FULLER
Bacteriologist

Dr. Merrill, on receipt of this letter, called up Director H. L. Russell by telephone. He told him about the ruse and when Mr. Russell had recovered from his rage, the local Health Commissioner gently instructed that what Janesville wanted was information direct from the head of the department and not from any underling. He asked Mr. Russell to look into the matter, himself, and report at once. People hereabouts did not care to expend large sums of money taking treatment at the Pasteur institute, but they were ready to do so if there were any real danger. Therefore reports have come from the department within 24 hours that nine dogs have now passed since Mr. Russell promised over the telephone to make a personal investigation and report promptly and not a word has come from him. Maybe the mild cocker spaniel was mad. Then, again, maybe all this madness was a false alarm. At any rate the tribe of tramp canines has diminished.
Evansville Suspect Released: Chas. Wells of Evansville who was arrested Saturday night on the charge of appropriating money belonging to his former employer, Fred Hanson, a tailor residing in the Cut Off city, was today released. Mr. Hanson upon arriving here said that he did not care to prosecute.
Jury Term Begun: The jury term of circuit court began today. Several of the jurors were excused for various reasons.

A FEW REASONS

Why you will find it to your advantage to select Dr. Richards as your Dentist:

He will satisfy you in every case or return your money, and do it quick.

He will do your work promptly.

He will give you the best of material.

He is able to, and will, give you the best of workmanship.

He has fitted plates, in a large number of cases, where others have failed, and can prove it.

He is sending out his work right or not at all, and expects to build up his business on that basis.

He has had 18 years of hard experience and has LEARNED HOW to do your work right.

He does Painless work.

His prices are the most reasonable in the city.

Office over Hall & Sayles Jewelry store, West Milwaukee St.

DYERS AND CLEANERS

Party gowns and cloaks, suits, skirts, and waists.

Chemically dry pressed and cleaned. Work guaranteed.

CARL F. BROCKHAUS
W. Milwaukee St.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE
First National Bank

JANESVILLE, WIS.

At the close of business Feb. 14, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans	\$574,410.38
Overdrafts	260.39
United States Bonds	50,000.00
Other Bonds	181,068.83
Banking House	10,000.00
Due from Banks	\$204,324.90
Cash	85,861.59
Due from U. S. Treasurer	4,500.00
	\$1,110,432.09

LIABILITIES.	
Capital	\$125,000.00
Surplus	85,000.00
Undivided Profits	42,941.80
Circulation Outstanding	49,380.00
Deposits	808,140.29
	\$1,110,432.09

3 per cent interest paid on Savings Deposits and on Certificates of Deposit.

RINK NIGHTS

Monday,
Wednesday,
Friday,
Saturday,
And Every Afternoon.

BATH ROOM

always warm and water hot.
HAYES BLOOM BARBER SHOP

SUNDAY BOX CANDIES

Pappas' delicious Bon Bons, Bitter Sweet Chocolate, Maple Creams, all with the unmatchable soft centers; put up in boxes of any size at all prices.

PAPPAS' CANDY PALACE

"The House of Quality"

19 E. Milwaukee St.



Anna Gould, from dear La Franco must suit.
For trouble begins to brew—
And, as she leaves the Court and Princes,
She waves a fond skidoo.

Our American housewives can blame themselves for their marital woes, for fortune-hunters seldom "make good." No so with our pasteurized milk. It pleases so thoroughly that bidding us "33" is far from your mind. It is worthy of a trial and we are confident once you become acquainted with it, you'll insist on being supplied with pasteurized milk in the future.

Janesville Pure Milk Co.
GRIDLEY & CRAFT.
22 No. Bluff St.

COUNCIL NOT TO ELECT MARSHAL

ACCORDING TO CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORTED FINDINGS.

SEWER PLANS UP TONIGHT

Also the Ordinance Providing For the Abolition of Present System of Paying Taxes Twice a Year.

One of the important questions to be taken up by the city council this evening will be concerned with the plans of sewer construction for 1908. As is generally known, there has been in contemplation in all of the sewer work for the past two years a definite scheme whereby the trunk line on the east side which runs on Main street from the upper dam to Racine street and from Carrington north to Racine street with a temporary outlet there, is to be eventually carried across the river to join the proposed parallel line on the west side which is to carry all of the sewage of the city to a point below the lower cotton mills. On the west side only a section running from Madison street down Center to River street has thus far been built. The Fourth ward clamors for sewer accommodations and its representatives will interpose vigorous objections if any plan which does not contemplate some immediate steps in this direction is carried out. To complete the whole lower end of the projected system in one year would provide the desired relief but it would also lay a heavy financial burden on the city. Any temporary construction with a view to relieving the situation to relieve the more thickly settled region east of Cherry street with a temporary outlet, say, at the foot of Jackson street, could not be incorporated in the main plan when the time comes for its fulfillment. West of Cherry street there are high lands through which deep cuts will have to be made. City Engineer Korch proposes as a solution the building of a section of main sewer on Western avenue running as far west as Center avenue and having its temporary outlet there. This will be feasible if it is found that the sewage can be siphoned under the dam, as the necessary grade will not permit it to do so above. The recommendations which the committee will make at tonight's session will probably include this plan in case the city engineer's investigations with the local this afternoon show that it is feasible.

Biennial Taxpayers Must Go.

Back in the late '90s when the city and county treasurers were in trouble almost continuously over the adjustment of matters financial, Barney Eldridge who was then a member both of the city council and the legislature, secured the passage of an act whereby the city tax should be collected separately from the county and state taxes and at a different time in Janesville. It is doubtful if this sort of a system prevails in any other city in the United States. It has repeatedly caused trouble to outsiders who are unfamiliar with the strange laws of the town. The Northwestern Loan Association at Madison, for instance, yearly paid its taxes on local property to the county treasurer, innocent of any other obligations until buyers of delinquent tax certificates from the city had claim to and took possession of two of its parcels of real estate. But aside from these objections, a new contingency has arisen which makes the repeal of the measure necessary. It is the law which dispenses with the court term in November and substitutes one in October. The city tax roll is now filed about the last of August. Twenty days after the city treasurer gets his warrant he can force a collection. The charter says that he shall go into the circuit court on the first day of the November term and take judgment against delinquents. There being no November term, let us suppose he takes judgment on the first day of the October term. The intervening time is altogether too brief both for taxpayers and the treasurer. It would be physically impossible to take care of the rush. Last fall Judge Grimm held the matter of taking judgment open until the February term. Had taxpayers been aware of this the collection would have dragged along until this time. But the county and state taxes become payable on the third Monday in December each year, under the statutes, and the time of grace runs till Jan. 31. After Jan. 31 they have to pay an extra percentage which is either fixed by the collector or established by law. About the middle of March returns are made to the county treasurer and the tax sales take place. Now under this sort of a regime the collection of the bulk of all the taxes is concentrated in one period. The strict letter of the law is not obeyed. The city does not get the money it should have in the fall until the far end of winter. An ordinance providing for the adoption of the general character law and the abandonment of this double tax collection system will be given its first and second reading tonight.

Commissioners to Name Marshal. City Attorney Maxfield was asked at the last meeting to file an opinion on the question of the local application of the new law relating to the election of a city marshal by the fire and police commission. It was the belief in some quarters that notwithstanding this measure, the city council retained the privilege because the city had not adopted the new law. The "law" applies to all cities and is not subject to their action and the Gazette learns from unofficial sources that the city attorney will so rule. Whether or not a law which interferes with rights which cities have had from the time of the adoption of the state constitution, is constitutional, is a question on which he cannot and will not attempt to pass. That will have to be settled by the courts. To avoid possible trouble in the future, however, it is learned that he will recommend that the council and commissioners act jointly or concur in the forthcoming election.

Mystic Workers. Delegates to the supreme meeting to be held at St. Paul in June will be elected at our regular meeting tomorrow night. All are requested to be present.

Buy it in Janesville.

MRS. C. W. REEDER DIES IN MILWAUKEE

Passed Away at St. John's Hospital at Eleven o'clock Last Evening.

Word was received this morning of the death of Mrs. Grace L. Reeder, wife of Charles W. Reeder, which occurred at St. Joseph hospital, Milwaukee, last evening at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Reeder was operated upon last Friday and seemed to be recovering nicely from the shock. Her husband was with her at six o'clock last night and left for home with the thought that she was well on the way to recovery. Her sudden death came as a great shock to her relatives and friends. Mrs. Reeder was 31 years of age and aside from her husband leaves a daughter, Isabelle, 6 years of age; a sister, Mrs. R. H. Galtner, and mother, Mrs. D. C. Ward, both of Milwaukee. The remains will be brought here for burial and the funeral, which will be announced later, is to be private.

CONFIRMS A CLASS ON SUNDAY EVENING

Bishop W. W. Webb of the Milwaukee Diocese at Christ Church Last Evening.

Sunday evening Bishop W. W. Webb of the Milwaukee diocese of the Episcopal church confirmed a class of four at Christ church. Bishop Webb spent the morning in Deloit and arrived in Janesville late in the afternoon. At the evening service he confirmed Misses Eloise Fifield, Edna Jones and Ruth Ward, and John Shaw. Bishop Webb took the text for his sermon from the Seventh chapter of St. Matthew, twenty-first verse: "Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of My Father that is in heaven." His address was very strong and was listened to with much appreciation by the large congregation that crowded the little church building. The Bishop returned to Milwaukee this morning, being the guest of Rev. John McKinney while in the city.

OBITUARY.

Francis B. Smith. The remains of Francis B. Smith, who died Friday in Independence, Iowa, will be brought here on the eleven-forty-five train on the North-Western road on Wednesday and will be taken to the Grove church, where the funeral services will be held. The Rev. R. M. Vaughan will deliver the funeral sermon. The body will be accompanied by a son of the deceased, Rev. Charles Harley, Smith of Rockton, Mass., and the interment will be in the Center cemetery.

Mrs. Edward Murphy. All that was mortal of Mrs. Edward Murphy was tenderly laid to rest this morning in the Mt. Olivet cemetery. The funeral services were held at nine o'clock from St. Patrick's church. The bearers were Thomas Whalen, Thomas Leahy, John Joyce, John Sullivan, Dennis Barry and James Reid. Mrs. Murphy died at eleven o'clock Saturday morning, having been a resident of this city for over fifty years. She leaves three children, J. J. Murphy, Richard P. Murphy and Miss Maggie Murphy, all of Janesville.

Robert J. Wagner. Robert J. Wagner died at eight o'clock yesterday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. L. Lathers, on Eastern avenue. Mr. Wagner had not been well for about a year, but was not confined to his bed. He was born in Deloit, April 19th, 1827, and has been connected at different times with various business concerns in this city. He was a thirty-second degree Mason and was a member of the Wheeling, West Virginia, lodge. Besides his sister, Mrs. Lathers, one brother, John F. Wagner of Sumpter, Oregon, survives him. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon from the home of his sister at one o'clock and the remains will be taken to Shipshewer for burial.

In Jail Here: Joseph Koenigs, who was picked up drunk in Deloit on Saturday, was brought to Janesville to sober up, having been given five days by Judge Ross. Koenigs was arrested by the Deloit police on suspicion that he knew something of the unknown stranger who flooded the Deloit merchants out of some two hundred dollars Saturday on forged checks.

If wishes were coal heaps we'd none of us freeze.—Detroit Free Press.

Dennis Hayes Better: The condition of Mr. Dennis Hayes, whose illness has caused considerable uneasiness among his friends, is reported this afternoon to be much improved. Dr. King of Chicago, who was called for consultation Sunday, returned to his home last evening.

WOOD!

Dry Hard Maple, Oak and Birch Chunks

\$7.00

per cord, sawed and delivered.

CULL WOOD \$6.50 per cord.

sawed and delivered. This is all dry hard wood and makes very cheap fuel. Try a load. The reliable coal and wood dealer

WM. BUGGS

6 N. Academy St.

New phone 407. Old phone 4233

PERSONAL MENTION.

Lawrence Daly was here from Chicago yesterday.

A. D. Nott and family are preparing to depart for a new home in Texas.

Mrs. W. T. Van Kirk, who has been making her home in Chicago recently, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Colvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor P. Richardson visited in Madison on Saturday.

Paul Blakely returned Saturday evening from a trip on the road.

Mrs. Paul Wickert left Saturday for her home in Escanaba, Mich., after a four weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Buggs, 260 South Academy street.

Miss Mabel Shumway left this morning for Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tanberg left yesterday morning for an extended western trip.

Ezra Murriotti, city editor of the Rockford Star, was a Janesville visitor today.

Miss Margaret Carey, who is teaching school in Deloit, visited local friends yesterday.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Use Taylor's Solvay coke.

Butler Clarke, masquerade at Assembly hall tonight.

Little Duke and District Leader elated.

Lyle is in trouble again. See what he has to say at the tail end of the Want Ad column.

The regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. auxiliary will be held Tuesday, March 3d, 3 p. m., at Y. M. C. A. building. Miss Susie Lowell (Hubbard) will address the meeting. Every member is urged to be present. All ladies welcome, too.

Last card party before Lent. St. Patrick's Court, No. 318, W. C. O. P. will give a card party, supper and dance at Central hall tonight. Charles orchestra.

The Social Club auxiliary of the Congregational church will meet to sew on Tuesday afternoon at Assembly hall.

Regular meeting Janesville Assembly 171, E. P. U. this evening; all members requested to be present.

The Woman's Foreign Mission Circle of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet in the church parlors on Wednesday at 2:30 in the afternoon. This is our thank-offering service. Giving is living. Will each one bring a missionary item? If possible, let every member be present.

Advertising unlike the salesman, has no breathing personality, but nevertheless, when properly produced, can radiate sincerely and create confidence and sell goods.

FARM FOR RENT.

140 acres in town of Spring Valley, well improved, new 6-room dwelling house and out buildings built new last year. Inquire at

NOLAN BROS. Grocery.

Sunburst Flour - \$1.55

Half sacks, 80c.
Baker's \$1.70; halves, 85c.
Gold Star, \$1.50.
Premium, \$1.35.
Try Swainsdown Graham, 25c package.

True Java and Mocha Coffee

34 lb., 3 lbs., \$1.00.
An exceptionally fine lot, well aged. Rich, full, and invigorating but still mellow.

If cheap coffees harm you, then try this genuine Java & Mocha. There is a great difference.

Dates, 5c, 8c, 10c and 12½c.
Figs, 10c, 15c and 20c.
Walnut Meats, 35c lb.
Almond Meats, 50c lb.
Pecan Meats, 60c lb.

Hickory Nut Meats, 80c lb.
Fresh Blanched Peanuts, 20c lb.

White Grapes, 10c and 20c lb.

Naval Oranges, at their best, 25c dozen.

Fine large Grapefruit 10c, 3 for 25c.

Choice Evaporated Peaches, 15c lb.

Choice Evaporated Apples, 2 lbs. 25c.

Cal. Black Ripe Figs, 3 lbs. 25c.

Evaporated Apricots, 25c lb.

Fancy Prunes, 9c, 10c, 12½c, 15c lb.

Seeded Raisins, 10c, 12½c and 15c pkg.

Currents, 12½c and 15c pkg.

8 Santa Claus Soap, 25c.

8 Lenox Soap, 25c.

4 pkgs. Egg-O-Sec, 25c.

3 pkgs. Corn Flakes, 25c.

Quaker Oats, 10c pkg.

The Hospital Aid Society. The Hospital Aid Society recently formed here will give a card party at Central hall Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. As it is the first call of the new society we hope it will be well attended, and that the ladies will make an effort to get together when the ladies of the committee will do everything to make the party a pleasant social event.

Several beautiful prizes have been procured and a most enjoyable afternoon is anticipated. We hope the party will be well attended as the proceeds are to procure materials for the new society to begin its charity work.

Vice President of Class: Miss Elizabeth Stoddard of this city, who is a student in the college of letters and science at the University of Wisconsin, has been elected second vice president of the senior class.

REPORT OF THE Merchants' & Mechanics' Savings Bank

at close of business Feb. 14, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 810,173.82
Overdrafts	648.90
Bonds	393,625.00
Cash and due from banks	352,584.08
	\$1,556,931.80

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits	41,863.62
Deposits	1,365,068.78
	\$1,556,931.80

We pay 3 per cent interest in Savings Department. \$1.00 will open an account. Now is the time to begin to save. We invite your business.

W. S. JEFFRIES, Pres't.
WM. BLADON, V. Pres't.
S. M. SMITH, Cashier.

GOLDEN PALACE FLOUR

\$1.50 SACK.
10-LB. SACK TABLE SALT 10c

4 CANS JANESVILLE CORN 25c

2 CANS BEST RED SALMON 25c

STOPPENBACH & SON
PICNIC HAMS 7c LB.

1-LB. PKG. SEEDED RAISINS 10c

1-LB. PKG. CLEANED CURRANTS 10c

6 LBS. BEST OATMEAL 25c

E. R. WINSLOW

20 N. Main St.

Taylor Bros.

Barrington Hall Steel Cut Coffee.
Paul Rogers Coffee, 1-lb. cans.
Bulk Coffee, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c per lb.
Japan Tea, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c per lb. (Quality right).
Fancy Pineapples, 15c each.
Indian River Oranges, 15c per dozen.
Fancy Navel Oranges, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c per dozen.
Fallman Sweet Apples, 40c pk.
Red and Yellow Onions, 25c pk.
Parsnips, 20c pk.
Spanish Onions, 5c per lb.
Holland Cabbage, 5c to 8c per head.
Richelle and Swainsdown Pastry Flour.
Purina Whole Wheat Flour.
Fresh ground Horseradish, 10c glass.
Hotiz and Carnival Mustard.
1 gal. can N. Y. Apples, 30c.
1 gal. can Apple Butter, 25c.
Johnson's Pure Sweet Cider, 30c gallon.
Pure Home-made Mince Meat, 15c lb.
Sauer Kraut, 20c per gallon.
(Sour).
Dill, Sour and Sweet Pickles, in bulk.
Midget Pickles, extra fine, 40c per quart.
Jumbo and Manzanilla Olives in bulk.
Willowdale and Shurtler's Creamery Butter.
Swift's Jersey and Holstein Butterine.
Primo Cheese, 12½c per lb.
Crown Baking Powder, 10c lb. can.
Olive Oil in bulk and bottles—pure.
Potted Beef, 5c per can.
Mozzeli Corn Flakes, 10c pkg.
Hotiz Popcorn Biscuit.
Gloss Soap, and Snow Boy Washing Powder.
Pure White Clover Honey.
Pure Strained Honey, 25c pint cans.
Canadian Rutabagas, 3c lb.
White Turnips, 20c peck.
Smoked Columbia River Salmon, 12½c lb.
Best Patent Flour \$1.50 per sack. Fully guaranteed.
Yours to please at the big, busy store.

Taylor Bros.

215-217 W. Mil. St.
Phone—New, 398; Old, 3981.

DEDRICK BROS.

FAIR STORE

BOY'S CLOTHING

Children's Eton or Russian Blouse 2-piece suits, in fancy mixtures of plaid and stripes, ages 3 to 8 years, at \$1.98, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

Boys' School Suits, in dark striped effects, 2-piece suits, coats are double breasted, ages 10 to 16 years, at \$1.98.

Boys' better grade suits in black and fancy mixtures for spring, at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.

Boys' Knee Pants, in corduroy and neat wool patterns, ages 4 to 10 years, at 50c.

Boys' Cottonade Knee Pants, in dark stripes, at 25c a pair.

Boys' Shirts in light and dark percales, at 25c, 35c and 40c.

Boys' Brownie Overalls, from 3 to 14 years, extra well made, at 25c and 45c.

Boys' Spring Caps in Norfolk golf style or the small leather caps, at 25c.

Men's Double Front Work Shirts, made in dark and light shirting, at 60c each.

Men's neat patterns in light colored Negligee Shirts, with separate cuffs, sizes 14½ to 17, at 50c.

Men's Pant Cut Overalls, in dark colors, good weight, loose pockets, at 75c a pair.

Men's Cottonade Work Pants, at \$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair.

Men's Wool Pants in gray hair-line and dark stripes, all sizes up to 46, at \$1.50.

Men's Corduroy Work Pants, warranted not to rip, at \$1.75 a pair.

ROCK COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

Another Car of Upland Hay

arrived this morning. You can see this hay at store or on track Tuesday. Delivered anywhere in city in ton or ½ ton lots for

\$10.50 per ton

Also very choice timothy and mixed hay, nice dry straw, ear corn, shelled corn, oats, bran, midds, gluten feed, etc.

JANESVILLE COAL CO.

Order Office: Riverside Laundry
The Careful Coal Carters
Phone 89.

99% Pure Heat

Solvay Coke is the carbon remaining in the coke oven after the smoke and gas have been driven out by external heat. The carbon is real concentrated heat and it is called "Solvay Coke." There is just 1% that will not give heat and that you will find in the ashes. It burns as long ton for ton as hard coal and cost 20% less.

F.A. TAYLOR CO.

161 So. River St.
Either Phone. Janesville, Wis.

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GAS

A Golden Age. Though the time may never have been when "rivers of milk and rivers of nectar" flowed through the plains in any other way than the land of Canaan flowed with milk and honey, yet, if ever there was a time when men had not commenced the business of accumulation; if ever there were a time when the earth and its fruits were common, when men were unimpaired in the science of hoarding—that time was a golden age.

The public is the only critic the advertiser really has to fear.—Advertising.

Knights of the Globe. Knights of the Globe will hold their regular meeting Tuesday evening, March 3d, at Good Templars' hall. All 8th Knights and Eminent Ladies are requested to be present. Recruiting Officers Mr. and Mrs. McCauley will be present.

J. C. STANTON, Reporter.

Seriously Ill: Mrs. Joseph Bradley is very ill at her home at 108 Highland avenue.

Buy it in Janesville.

An Increase of Deposits

at this time means more to us than a much larger one under other circumstances. It means a heightened appreciation of the methods and ways of doing business of this bank. It means that a greater number of people believe that banking business done at this bank is well placed and that money deposited with us is safe. We appreciate the compliment.

DEPOSITS.

December 14, 1907...\$580,000
January 14, 1908... 594,000
February 14, 1908... 608,000

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Green's Feed Store

43 N. Main. Both Phones.

NASH

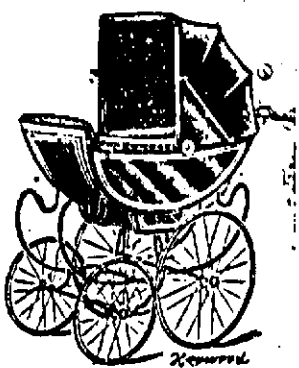
RAW LEAF LARD 10c LB.
CHICKEN RATION 25c CWT.
FANCY EDAM CHEESE 75c.
FANCY TEA DUST 15c LB.
CHICO FREESTONE OLIVES 20c PT.
NEEDIT FANCY PATENT \$1.45
CORNER STONE FLOUR \$1.55.
KARO CORN SYRUP
FANCY BALDWIN APPLES \$4 BARREL.
FANCY BALDWIN APPLES 35c PK. SMALL
SOUND BALDWIN APPLES 30c PECK.
BISMARCK HERRING 25c.
OLD FASHIONED HOMINY.
AUDOBON BIRD SEED. 10c.
3 TOASTED CORN FLAKES 25c.
4 CEREALINE FLAKES 25c.
EGG BAKING POWDER 15c.
BEST 50c TEA ON EARTH.
BEST 25c COFFEE ON EARTH
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT 10c.
OUR PIE 10c.
2 CANS PARIS CORN 25c.
CANADIAN RUTABAGAS.
LARGE CAN BONELESS SAR. DINES 25c.
FANCY CAPE COD CRABBER. RIBS 12c QT.
8 SANTA CLAUS OR LENOX SOAP 25c.
8 OLD COUNTRY OR BEACH'S FAVORITE 25c.
FANCY LYE 25c.
NAVEL ORANGES 25c DOZ.
3 ZEETA MACARONI 25c.
NEW SHELL WALNUTS 35c LB.
NEW ENGLISH WALNUTS 15c LB.
PURE MAPLE SUGAR.
JERSEY BUTTERINE 15c LB.
HOLSTEIN BUTTERINE 18c LB.
YANKEE SHAVING SOAP 10c.
SHELLED PECANS AND AL. MONDS.
DRIED APPLES

THE GREAT

Annual March Clearing Sale of Furniture

WILL BEGIN, AS USUAL, MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 2,

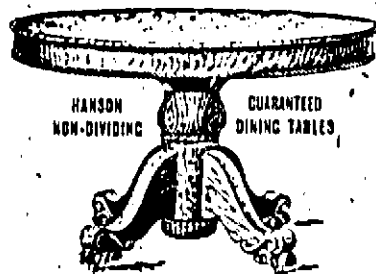
and continue during the entire month of March. This annual sale is the greatest, and in fact the only real furniture sale of the year. It is the one month in each year when regular prices are forgotten and all furniture sold at the lowest prices. It comes at just the time of the year when everybody is about to clean house, and are ready to add new pieces or have the old pieces remodeled. This sale will include all goods now in stock and all new goods that are received during the sale. We have a fine line of holiday goods left since Christmas. Our stock of furniture is complete and new goods arriving every day.



In this sale will be our entire line of
Go-Carts and Carriages
which are being received
now.

During this sale we shall make a specialty of goods made in Janesville,

**The Hanson Furniture Co.
Tables and the Rock River
Cotton Co. Mattresses**



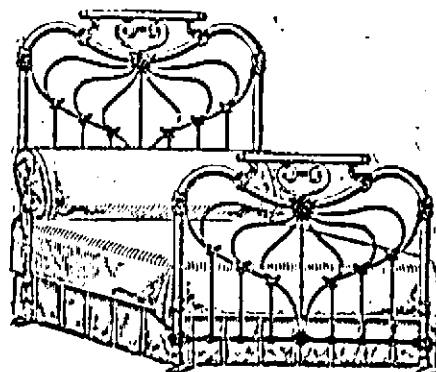
We have a complete assortment of the justly celebrated "Hanson Undividing Pedestal Table." After you see the many styles and prices you will buy no other.

We have Sideboards, Buffets and Diners to match the tables, and all go at the greatly reduced prices.

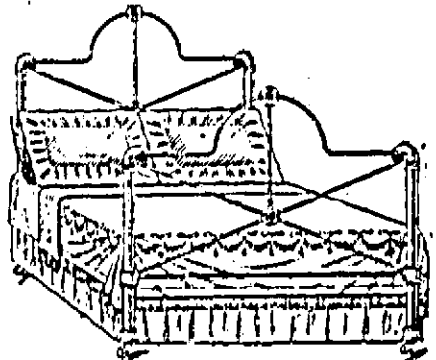


We have the largest variety of

Brass and Iron Beds
that we have ever shown, and we will sell them from \$1.50 and up. The line of iron beds is in all colors, besides the Vernis Martin finish, and in all sizes.



Our exclusive lines are very complete and include Stearns & Foster cheap and



medium Felt Mattresses, The Royal Chair Co. "Push Button" Morris Chairs, the best on earth, and the Ostermoor High Grade Felt Mattresses.

We expect a few more of those "Ostermoor Specials," \$30 felts, 60 lbs. each, at \$18.50. They are the finest mattress made.

And remember, we have the best upholsterer with us ever in Janesville. We make new work to order, also make over and re-upholster couches and parlor furniture. We will call at any time with a full line of samples, see your goods, and make a price for the work. All work done promptly and satisfaction guaranteed. When you clean house get a 25c bottle of our Polish, for it will brighten up your furniture. Call now and make your selections and save more money than ever before in buying furniture.

W. H. ASHCRAFT,

FURNITURE and UNDERTAKING

56 WEST MILWAUKEE STREET

CORSET DEMONSTRATION ALL THIS WEEK

Miss McDowell, expert Corsetiere, will be in our corset department, North Store, giving demonstrations of

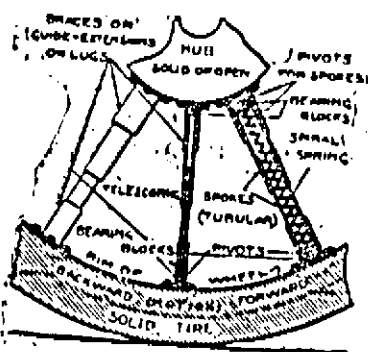
**Bon Ton,
Royal Worcester
and...
Adjusto Corsets**



Spend a pleasant half hour with Miss McDowell, who thoroughly understands her business, and one can learn much about corsets that they never knew before. These demonstrations are educational in their nature and women are realizing more and more the value of a fuller knowledge of the subject.

No expense spared to make the demonstration complete.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS



New Auto Wheel.

It has long been recognized that the pneumatic tire, which has done so much for the automobile, is nevertheless, one of its weakest points. Many wheels have been brought out, designed to give the ease and comfort afforded by the pneumatic wheel, and at the same time have more lasting qualities. In spite of its defects, however, the pneumatic tire has as yet no serious rival.

There has recently been patented a resilient wheel, which if it lives up to the claims of its inventor, will prove a menace to the supremacy of the older type.

The resiliency of the wheel is obtained in the construction of the spokes. These are radial and consist of tubular sections which telescope, one within the other. The ends rest within guide extensions or braces fastened to the hub and rim. While the spokes are helical springs secured on pivots at each end. In one form the springs are exposed instead of being enclosed in the spokes and alternate with telescoping spokes to maintain alignment.

According to the inventor any form of solid rubber or combination tire may be used, as this arrangement of springs furnishes sufficient resiliency to absorb all the jars, incidental to travel over ordinary roads. It is claimed that this new wheel has the great advantage of being practically indestructible and is not likely to get out of order.

JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Feb. 25.
Bar Corn—\$1.60@1.71.
Corn Meal—\$27@28 per ton.
Feed Corn and Oats—\$23@25 per ton.
Standard Middlings—\$21.50@22.50 per ton.
Oat Meal—\$1.75@1.85 per cwt.
Oats—50¢@52 cents per bushel.
Hay—\$11@12 per ton.
and a majority of them scored more than—\$21.50@22.50 per ton.
Rye—78¢ for 60 lbs.
Barley—40¢@42¢.
Creamery Butter—32½¢.
Dairy Butter—28 to 30¢.
Eggs—Fresh, 20½¢; cold storage, 16¢@18¢.
Potatoes—62 to 65¢.
Blain, Ill., Feb. 21.—The butter market was firm at 32¢. Sales for the week were 429,800 lbs.

Cold.

It's a mighty cold day when a woman can't make it hot for a man.—Detroit Free Press.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

**JAPAN
AND CHINA
MATTING....**

**That's attractive
and durable.**

One look at our immense line will convince you that the 1908 styles of Japanese and Chinese Matting were never more pleasing to the eye.

**Prices: 12½c, 18c, 20c,
25c, 30c and 35c.**

Beautiful carpet patterns with cotton warps in shades of Blue, Green, Brown, Red, Tan, Olive.

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